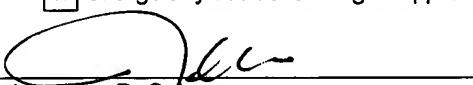


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Application No. 10/521,084-Conf. #4431		Filing Date January 13, 2005	Examiner E. J. Sorrell	Art Unit 2182
Applicant(s): Nicolas Drabczuk				
Invention: DEVICE FUNCTIONALITIES NEGOTIATION, FALBACK, BACKWARD-COMPATIBILITY, AND REDUCED-CAPABILITIES SIMULATION				
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